

## PSM October 2009 Newsletter

### PSM Members 2nd Outing - Captivating Malacca

The Society's members 2nd outing to Malacca will be held from 30 October 2009 to 1 November 2009. The theme of this outing shall be "The Culture, Heritage and People of Malacca". Till 5 October, 30 members have already registered for this trip. Places are limited to 40 members, so please register as soon as possible.

Participants are reminded that departure time will be 1.00 pm on 30/10/09 at McD, near Mint Hotel, Jalan Sg Besi. Please be punctual.

### PSM member 3rd Photo Contest - "Celebration"

Judging was held on 6 September 2009 2.00pm at the Society HQ. The judges were Harry Woo, Steven Leong and Teh Eng Guan, and the results are as follow :

1st :	Wong Wai Sun (10 pts)
2nd :	Loh Chee Meng (8 pts)
3rd :	Wong Wai Sun (6 pts)
Merit :	Koh Wee Hai (2 pts), Dr Chen Wei Seng (2 pts), Goh Chor Tian (2 pts) & Loh Chee Meng x2 (4 pts)

### Overall Results Of The 3 Members Photo Contest

The accumulated points from the 3 member photo contests throughout 2009 are as below :

1st :	Wong Wai Sun (38 pts)
2nd :	Loh Chee Meng (14 pts)
3rd :	Nick Ng (10 pts) Eric Cheong (10 pts)
Merit :	Koh Wee Hai (8 pts), Dr Chen Wei Seng (6 pts), Goh Chor Tian (4 pts)

Congratulations to Wong Wai Sun, for being the highest accumulated point and being awarded the PSM Photography Cup Of 2009. There will be 2 persons awarded for 3rd placing. Those with 2 points are not considered.

### Members Latest Successes

- a) PSM life member Mr Lee Chee Wai from Ipoh, after being recommended by Harry Woo, was recently bestowed the Salon Award Artist. FIAP (A.FIAP) by FIAP. To be able to achieve this award, the recipient must take part in FIAP recognized salon exhibitions for 5 running years and achieve the required number of acceptances. The Society is proud of him and congratulates him for his success.
- b) The following have been enrolled as Fellows and Associates of the Photographic Society of New York (PSNY). Congratulations!

1) Joann Chang (KL)	APSNY
2) Teoh Peng Kee (KL)	APSNY
3) Steven Leong (KL)	FPSNY
4) Teh Eng Guan (Rawang)	FPSNY
5) Au Kam Wah (Ipoh)	FPSNY
6) Eng Chuen Fui (KL)	FPSNY
7) Claymond Leong Yung Nyee (Sarawak)	FPSNY

- c) The following have achieved awards in the recent PSNS 1st International Salon Exhibition 2009 :

1) Chai Tak Sun	Gold - Local Best Travel
2) Wong Wai Sun	Silver - Local Best Travel
3) Ho Ah Mook	Bronze - Local Best Travel
4) Steven Leong	Gold - Local Best Colour Projected
5) Loh Chee Meng	Bronze - Local Best Colour Projected
6) Wong Wai Sun	Bronze - Local Best Electronic Imaging

- d) The following members and committee of the Society have been successful in obtaining the Associateship Of The Royal Photographic Society of Great Britain (ARPS) in the Travel Category. Congratulations!

1) Steven Leong	ARPS (Travel)
2) Teng Wei	ARPS (Travel)

## PSM Award Of Distinction

The Society's Distinction 2nd assessment for the year 2009 will be held in November. The closing date will be on 31 October 2009. Interested candidates please submit your application before the closing date. There will be assessment for the Society's Fellowship (FPSM) as well as the Associateship (APSM). Till now, there will be 2 assessment for the APSM and 3 for the FPSM. For enquiries, please contact the Distinction Chairman Mr Lek Wai Keong (012-2037788) or the President Mr Harry Woo (012-3344396).

## PSM Website

The Society's website, [www.psmgallery.com](http://www.psmgallery.com), under the responsibility of the Society's Treasurer cum Webmaster and his able team, is undergoing improvements from time to time, and thus far, 80% of the improvements have been done. In this digital age, the Society places importance in its website, and work is being done constantly to update, to modernize and to be contemporary in its image.

The Society hopes more members will support the website by providing their works/ photographs to be uploaded in the Member Portfolio page. It is a page specially created to showcase the works of the Society's members. Members can send by email to [nickng6208@gmail.com](mailto:nickng6208@gmail.com) their photographs at 1024 x 768 pixels in 72 dpi. A portfolio of 20 - 30 images or even more shall be just fine. For further enquiries, please call the following : Nick Ng (012-3772331) or Harry Woo (012-3344396).

The website will inform members as well as others the latest news and events, newsletters, distinction assessments as well as successes, photo contests and their results, member portfolios, links to other interesting sites etc. Members are encouraged to constantly view the website and any suggestions and views on how to improve the website further are most welcome.

Latest newsletters will be in the homepage of the website, as well as being sent via email to members requesting such services. The Society's website has received encouraging responses from the analytical report weekly, where they average around 450 reviews by about 150 people weekly.

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## 2009 - 2010 Members of Council

To inform further to members as well as non members, and to avoid unnecessary confusions, the new Members of Council of the year 2009-2010 are as below. The new committee members are also listed in the About Us page in the Society's website.

### Member of PSM Council 2009 - 2010 (53rd & 54th Term)

President	Harry Woo	012-3344396
Vice President	Steven Leong	012-6038833
Hon. Secretary	Teh Eng Guan	012-2977460
Assistant Secretary	Teng Wei	012-2121662
Hon. Treasurer	Nick Ng	012-3772331
Committee	Koh Wee Hai	012-2998999
	Goh Chor Tian	012-2282838
	Soo Kien Ho	016-2385565
	Cheong Weng Leong	019-9180909
	Billion Lim	016-3123278
	Lim Say Gan	016-2335893
	Eng Chuen Fui	012-2899378
	Eddie Kor	019-3329532
	Ho Ah Mook	012-9570941
	Tiew Wui Meng	012-3100131

The Society reserves its rights to protect the sanctity, reputation and goodwill of the Society at any costs. Members as well as non members who has or try to tarnish the name of the Society will be investigated and necessary actions will be taken in order to maintain and improve on the Society's goodwill and reputation.